

Dr. Dennis P. Ferrigno

Dennis has been an industry leader for 35 years in the Energy, Power and Natural Resources business sectors as well as graduate faculty at the University of Colorado. He has held senior executive roles with Fortune 500 companies with Profit & Loss / Operations responsibility for over \$300 M per year (self perform managing over \$2Billion / year in contract work). He has extensive international energy and natural resource experience for technology demonstration / development, engineering, procurement, construction, nuclear and non nuclear operations within these heavy industry sectors. Dennis is a industry recognized subject matter expert in Energy and Natural Resources, Strategic Planning, Project Management, Program Trouble shooting, Performance Metrics and Operational Readiness.

He has held federal appointments as advisor to the Secretary of Commerce, Secretary of Energy and State Government Advisory Boards. He is currently supporting the Department of Energy as an advisor to the Secretary of Energy for the Environmental Management Program with specific responsibility in Performance Metrics.

Dennis is a minority partner of a woman owned small business providing senior level management consulting for US and Foreign Businesses, National Laboratories, and International Agency Organizations. He is an adjunct professor at the University of Colorado Graduate School staff as well as adjunct for Denver Seminary. He has been supportive of research, graduate student advising and teaches graduate classes for Engineering and Management Masters Program. As Executive Director for Retraining Engineers for information technology (REFIT) Dennis established and oversaw a Colorado State-wide retraining of engineers from basic Sciences and Math to Computer Science, all within a 1 year training and work study program. Approximately 200 professionals graduated from this program. At Denver Seminary Dennis provides Systems Thinking and Strategic Decision Making in the Masters of Leadership Program.